

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 EUR-12 EA-10 IO-13 ISO-00 AID-05  
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R 170447Z FEB 78  
FM AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4973  
INFO AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN  
AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG  
USMISSION USUN NEW YORK  
AMEMBASSY PARIS  
AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

C O N F I D E N T I A L WELLINGTON 00832

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

PARIS FOR USOECD

EO 11652: GDS  
TAGS: EINV, ELAB, PFOR, OECD, EEC, SF, NZ  
SUBJECT: U.S. PROPOSAL FOR COMMON CODE FOR FIRMS  
OPERATING IN SOUTH AFRICA

REF: STATE 4226

SINCE RECEIVING REFTTEL, WE HAVE BEEN PERIODICALLY  
PRESSING THE MFA FOR A REACTION TO THE U.S. PROPOSAL  
OF NOVEMBER 24. RELATIONS WITH SOUTH AFRICA ARE A  
HIGHLY SENSITIVE ISSUE IN NEW ZEALAND, AND IT WOULD NOT  
BE SURPRISING IF THE GNZ IS SIMPLY UNPREPARED TO COMMIT  
ITSELF ON GUIDELINES OR ON THEIR INCORPORATION IN A  
MULTILATERAL CODE. WE WILL CONTINUE SEEKING A  
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DEFINITIVE POSITION STATEMENT AND WILL CABLE ITS  
CONTENT IF AND WHEN ONE IS FORTHCOMING. SELDEN

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
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**Decaption Date:** 01 jan 1960  
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**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
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**Disposition Date:** 20 Mar 2014  
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